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Dear Sirs:

This correspondence is being filed in response to the Office Action dated October 13, 2005. Applicant elects to continue prosecution of Claims 8-15 and cancels Claims 1-7. This election is made without traverse.

Also, please amend the claims as shown on the attached sheets.

<u>REMARKS</u>

The Examiner has imposed a restriction requirement to one of the following inventions: Claims 1-7 drawn to Duct Coating Apparatus or Claims 8-15 drawn to